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7 TAD CRANE,
8 Plaintiff,
9 v.
10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
11 Defendant.

Case No. 22-cv-00599-DMR

**ORDER DISCHARGING ORDER TO
SHOW CAUSE**

Re: Dkt. No. 63

12 On June 22, 2022, the court ordered self-represented Plaintiff Tad Crane to explain in
13 writing why he did not appear at the June 21, 2023 case management conference. [Docket No.
14 63.] The court also instructed Plaintiff to provide the court with a current address. On July 11,
15 2023, Plaintiff attached his response in an email to the undersigned's courtroom deputy. Plaintiff
16 explains that he had trouble accessing the case management conference which was held on the
17 Zoom platform. The court has two Zoom addresses – one for public hearings like the case
18 management conference, and one for non-public proceedings like settlement conferences. The
19 court suspects that Plaintiff may have been trying to access the wrong Zoom address. In any
20 event, Plaintiff provided an adequate and timely response and the court now discharges the order
21 to show cause.

22 Plaintiff's email states that his application to become an e-filer is still pending. In a
23 follow-up email, Plaintiff indicated that he is now able to e-file his response to the order to show
24 cause. The Court's CM/ECF Systems Administrator has confirmed that Plaintiff's application was
25 processed on July 12, 2023, and that Plaintiff now has full e-filing access to this case. If Plaintiff
26 has any difficulties with e-filing, he may call the ECF Help Desk at the following number: (866)
27 638-7829. He may also access the Court's e-filing tutorial at this link:
28 <https://www.cand.uscourts.gov/cases-e-filing/cm-ecf/e-filing-my-documents/tutorial/>

1 As of the date of this order, Plaintiff has not e-filed his July 11, 2023 response to the order
2 to show cause that he emailed to the court. The court will file Plaintiff's response this time, but
3 will not do so in the future. Moving forward, Plaintiff is responsible for handling all filings,
4 which should not be difficult because he is now an e-filer.

5 As a reminder, at the June 21, 2023 case management conference, the court set the
6 following dates:

7 - Further Case Management Conference: 9/20/2023 at 1:30 p.m. by Zoom
8 Videoconference. Parties may join the webinar by using this link: [https://cand-
9 uscourts.zoomgov.com/j/1612787819?pwd=SDRMY3hvT1FkOGx5ZUpPcTBSaFRpd
10 z09](https://cand.uscourts.zoomgov.com/j/1612787819?pwd=SDRMY3hvT1FkOGx5ZUpPcTBSaFRpdz09) or by inputting this ID number and password: Webinar ID: 161 278 7819;
11 Password: 053378
12 - Updated Joint Case Management Conference Statement due by: 9/13/2023

13 Failure to appear at the September 20, 2023 case management conference may result in dismissal
14 of this action for failure to prosecute.

15 The court refers Plaintiff to the section "Representing Yourself" on the Court's website,
16 located at <https://cand.uscourts.gov/pro-se-litigants/>, as well as the Court's Legal Help Centers for
17 unrepresented parties. Parties may schedule an appointment by calling 415-782-8982 or emailing
18 fedpro@sfbar.org.

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20 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

21 Dated: July 26, 2023

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23 Donna M. Ryu
24 Chief Magistrate Judge
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